

may proceed to take action in accordance with its legal responsibilities and authority. It shall be the duty of the Commission to submit any proposed changes in or amendments to the general orders that the Commission considers appropriate and the Council shall treat the amendments proposed in the same manner as other proposed amendments.

(June 6, 1924, ch. 270, § 8, as added July 19, 1952, ch. 949, § 1, 66 Stat. 790; amended 1967 Reorg. Plan No. 3, § 402(21), eff. Nov. 3, 1967, 32 F.R. 11669, 81 Stat. 951; Dec. 24, 1973, Pub. L. 93-198, title II, § 203(g), title IV, § 401, 87 Stat. 783, 785.)

#### CODIFICATION

Section is also set out in D.C. Code, § 1-2006.

#### PRIOR PROVISIONS

Similar provisions relating to the preparation and maintenance of a comprehensive plan for the National Capital and its environs, including zoning regulations, plats, and subdivisions, and for cooperation between the former National Capital Park and Planning Commission and Federal and District Governments were contained in section 71 of this title prior to amendment by act July 19, 1952.

#### AMENDMENTS

1973—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 93-198 provided for the making of a report and recommendations as provided in section 5 of the Act of March 1, 1920 (D.C. Code, sec. 5-417), including consistency of proposed amendments of zoning regulations and maps with the comprehensive plan, substituting “comprehensive plan for the National Capital” for “comprehensive plan of the District of Columbia” and deleted provision for Commission submission to the Zoning Commission of proposed amendments or general revisions to the zoning regulations or the zoning map for the District.

#### TRANSFER OF FUNCTIONS

“Council of the District of Columbia” substituted in subsec. (d) for “District of Columbia Council” pursuant to section 401 of Pub. L. 93-198. District of Columbia Council, as established by Reorg. Plan No. 3 of 1967, abolished as of noon Jan. 2, 1975, by Pub. L. 93-198, title VII, § 711, Dec. 24, 1973, 87 Stat. 818, classified to section 1-211 of the District of Columbia Code, and replaced by Council of District of Columbia, as provided by section 401 of Pub. L. 93-198, classified to section 1-221 of the District of Columbia Code.

Previously, reference to the Board of Commissioners of the District of Columbia had been changed to the District of Columbia Council to reflect D.C. Code § 1-613 and section 402(21) of Reorganization Plan No. 3 of 1967, 32 F.R. 11669, set out in the Appendix to Title 5, Government Organization and Employees, which transferred the regulatory and other functions of the Board of Commissioners relating to the making and publishing of general orders regulating the platting and subdividing of lands and grounds to the District of Columbia Council, subject to the right of the Commissioner as provided by section 406 of the Plan. For provisions establishing the District of Columbia Council, see section 201 of Reorg. Plan No. 3 of 1967.

#### SECTION REFERRED TO IN OTHER SECTIONS

This section is referred to in sections 71, 71a, 71i, 72, 72a, 136 of this title.

#### § 71h. Transfer of functions to Commission

All other functions, powers, and duties of the National Capital Park and Planning Commission, including those formerly vested in the Highway Commission established by the Act of

March 2, 1893 (27 Stat. 532) [D.C. Code, § 7-107 et seq.], and those formerly vested in the National Capital Park Commission by the Act of June 6, 1924 (43 Stat. 463) together with the personnel, records, property, and unexpended balances (available or to be made available) of appropriations, allocations, and all other funds, including trust funds, of the National Capital Park and Planning Commission, are transferred to the Commission.

(June 6, 1924, ch. 270, § 9, as added July 19, 1952, ch. 949, § 1, 66 Stat. 790.)

#### REFERENCES IN TEXT

Act of March 2, 1893 (27 Stat. 532), referred to in text, is act Mar. 2, 1893, ch. 197, 27 Stat. 532, as amended, which appears in sections 7-107 to 7-111 of Title 7, Highways, Streets, Bridges, of the District of Columbia Code.

The functions, powers, and duties formerly vested in the National Capital Park Commission by the Act of June 6, 1924 (43 Stat. 463), referred to in text, are the functions, powers, and duties vested by act June 6, 1924, ch. 270, §§ 1 to 4, 43 Stat. 463, which enacted sections 71, 72, 73, and 74 of this title prior to the amendment of such act by act July 19, 1952, ch. 949, § 1, 66 Stat. 781.

The Commission, referred to in text, is the National Capital Planning Commission created by section 71a of this title.

#### CODIFICATION

Section is also set out in D.C. Code, § 1-2007.

#### TRANSFER OF FUNCTIONS

Functions of National Capital Park Commission and Highway Commission of District of Columbia transferred to National Capital Park and Planning Commission by act Apr. 30, 1926, ch. 198, 44 Stat. 376.

#### SECTION REFERRED TO IN OTHER SECTIONS

This section is referred to in sections 71, 71i, 72, 72a of this title.

#### § 71i. Authorization of appropriations to carry out sections 71 to 71i

There are authorized to be appropriated, out of any moneys in the Treasury of the United States not otherwise appropriated and in any appropriate appropriation Act other than the annual District of Columbia Appropriation Act, such sums as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of sections 71 to 71i of this title, any existing provisions of law to the contrary notwithstanding.

(June 6, 1924, ch. 270, § 10, as added July 19, 1952, ch. 949, § 1, 66 Stat. 791.)

#### CODIFICATION

Section is also set out in D.C. Code, § 1-2008.

#### SECTION REFERRED TO IN OTHER SECTIONS

This section is referred to in sections 71, 72, 72a of this title.

#### § 72. Acquisition of land by Commission

Said Commission or a majority thereof is authorized and directed to acquire such lands as in its judgment shall be necessary and desirable in the District of Columbia and adjacent areas in Maryland and Virginia, within the limits of the appropriations made for such purposes, for suitable development of the National Capital park,